



CITY OF DANBURY

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810
DEPARTMENT OF ELDERLY SERVICES
COMMISSION ON AGING
ELMWOOD HALL
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DATE: August 24, 2015

TO: Honorable Mayor Mark D. Boughton
Members of the City Council

FROM: Susan M. Tomanio, LCSW
Director of Elderly Services

RE: Department Report City Council Meeting Reporting Period: (7/27/15– 8/24/15)

Department of Elderly Services - 526 - Call Center (Categories – Health/Wellness, Leisure Time Activities, Lifelong Learning, Benefits/Support, Special Events, Transportation, Membership, Miscellaneous

Elmwood Hall Senior Center – 226 seniors, 1,593 visits / services

Special Programs: Memory Screening with Dr. Verano, Mondays at the Museum with Danbury Museum and Historical Society, Live Strong Nutrition Program and Farmer's Market Gift Certificate Give-Away

Offered Daily, Bi-Weekly, Weekly, Bi-Monthly or Monthly:

Leisure Time Activities: Mah Jongg, Bridge, Pinochle, Quilt Club, Knit and Crochet Club, Ceramics, Art, Sports Talk, Woodcarving, Ukulele Club, BINGO, Timeless Trivia, Page Turner's Book Club, Band/Chorus, Poker, Your Point of View

Benefits/Support: Congregate Meals(Lunch), Nursing Home Visitors, SNAP Assistance, Lion's Club Low Vision Program, AARP Safe Drivers Program, Yolanda's Hair Boutique

Wellness Programs: Tai Chi, Strength Training, Zumba Gold, Aerobics, Line Dancing, Freestyle Dance, Chair Massage, Blood Pressure Screening, Chair Yoga, Happy Feet Program, Exercise with Video

Municipal Agent – 23 clients / 50 services in addition to administration of Rent Rebate Program
Services by Category – CHOICES-15, Medicare Part D-3, Medicare-3, Medicare Advantage–1, Housing-1, MSP-7, Rent Rebate-3, SNAP-4, Property Tax-1, Protective Services-1, Other – Mental Health-1, Life Alert-1, Energy Assistance-1, Respite Care-2, Homeless Shelter-1, Medicare/Billing-1, Transportation-2, Other Insurance-2

Van Transportation Program – 436 one way trips, & bi-weekly trips to the Farmer's Market

Please refer to our website for all the latest news, information and community events for Danbury seniors – www.danburyseniors.org